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# A. M. GROOTENDORST

Wholesale Grower  
of

Peonies, Gladiolus, Grape Hyacinths,  
Spanish and Dutch Iris, Montbretias,  
Lilies, Etc.

BENTON HARBOR MICHIGAN

U. S. Department of Agriculture

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## Peonies

3 to 5 Eye Divisions from Young Thrifty Stock

Rating	Each	10	100
8.7 Albatre. Milk-white	\$0.35	\$3.00	\$25.00
8.6 Albert Crousse. Seashell-pink	.40	3.50	30.00
8.8 Alsace-Lorraine. Creamy white	.70	6.00	50.00
7.8 Augustin d'Hour. Large brilliant red.	.40	3.00	30.00
8.7 Avalanche. Milk-white	.35	3.00	25.00
9.0 Baroness Schroeder. Very fine white.	.65	6.00	50.00
8.7 Bayadere. Creamy white	1.30	12.00	100.00
8.0 Boule de Neige. Milk-white	.30	2.50	20.00
8.6 Cherry Hill. Deep red	1.30	12.00	
8.7 Claire Dubois. Deep rose-pink, large flowers	.45	4.00	35.00
8.1 Couronne d'Or. White, yellow center	.30	2.50	20.00
Dr. H. Van der Tak. Claret-red	.80	7.00	60.00
8.1 Duchesse de Nemours. Sulphur-white.	.25	2.00	18.00
7.1 Edouard Andre. Dark velvety crimson	.45	4.00	35.00
7.6 Edulis Superba. Popular pink	.30	2.50	20.00
8.7 Elwood Pleas. Large delicate pink	1.00	9.00	80.00
8.1 Emile Hoste. Very large creamy white; fine	.60	5.00	45.00
8.6 Eugenie Verdier. Tall large pink	.35	3.00	28.00
8.4 Felix Crousse. Popular red	.40	3.50	30.00
9.3 Festiva Maxima. Splendid large white	.25	2.00	18.00
8.9 Georgiana Shaylor. Large flesh-pink.	1.50	14.00	120.00
8.5 Germaine Bigot. Lilac-rose	.25	2.00	18.00
8.2 Gigantea. Large pink	.50	4.50	40.00
8.2 Gismonda. Very late; flesh-pink	.45	4.00	35.00
8.2 Grover Cleveland. Dark red	.50	4.50	40.00
6.5 Humei. Clear flesh, tinged rose	.30	2.00	18.00
7.6 John Hancock. Tall crimson	.50	4.00	35.00
8.9 Jubilee. Large white	1.00	9.00	80.00
8.8 Karl Rosenfield. Best commercial red.	.60	5.00	40.00
9.8 Kelway's Glorious. A glorious white.	6.00	50.00	
9.0 La France. Beautiful large pink	1.70	16.00	150.00
8.6 La Lorraine. Globular creamy white.	2.70	25.00	
8.5 La Perle. Lilac-white	.40	3.50	30.00
8.1 La Tendresse. Milk-white	.40	3.50	30.00
7.5 La Tulipe. Lilac-white, late midseason	.40	3.00	25.00
9.9 Le Cygne. Finest white, perfect form.	5.00	40.00	

## PEONIES—Continued

Rating	Each	10	100
8.1 Livingstone. Soft pink, beautiful....	\$0.50	\$4.00	\$30.00
7.6 Lord Kitcheners. Very fine red .....	.60	5.00	45.00
8.1 Madame Calot. Pinkish white, tinted flesh .....	.30	2.50	20.00
8.5 Madame Emile Galle. Seashell-pink..	.40	3.00	25.00
8.9 Madame Emile Lemoine. Very large tall white .....	.60	5.00	40.00
7.9 Madame Geissler. Rose-pink .....	.50	4.00	35.00
9.4 Madame Jules Dessert. Fine blush white .....	1.70	16.00	150.00
7.3 Madame Mechin. Deep red .....	.40	3.50	30.00
8.1 Mademoiselle Rousseau. White, touched pink .....	.70	6.00	50.00
8.2 Marcelle Dessert. Milk-white, splashed lilac .....	.50	4.00	35.00
8.4 Marguerite Gerard. Hydrangea-pink.	.40	3.00	22.00
8.3 Marie Crousse. Soft pink, very large.	.70	6.00	55.00
8.3 Marie Jacquin. Water-lily form, glossy white .....	.40	3.00	25.00
7.8 Marquis C. Lagergren. Cherry-red ..	.70	6.00	50.00
9.1 Martha Bulloch. Large rose-pink ....	2.50	22.00	
8.7 Mary Brand. Large crimson-red ....	1.00	8.00	
8.5 Mikado. Single, crimson and gold ..	1.20	10.00	90.00
8.0 Monsieur Chas. Leveque. Delicate pink .....	.40	3.50	30.00
8.8 Monsieur Martin Cahuzac. Very dark red .....	1.40	13.00	125.00
9.2 Monsieur Jules Elie. Large lilac-pink.	.50	4.50	40.00
7.7 Monsieur Krelage. Currant-red .....	.40	3.50	30.00
8.5 Octavie Demay. Delicate hydrangea- pink .....	.50	4.00	35.00
Officinalis Rosea. Very early pink...	.50	4.50	40.00
Officinalis Rubra Plena. Old-fashion- ed red .....	.50	4.50	40.00
Officinalis Tenuifolia. Double red, fringed leaves .....	1.20	11.00	100.00
8.0 Pasteur. Soft pink .....	.80	7.00	60.00
7.6 Pierre Dessert. Dark crimson .....	.50	4.00	35.00
8.2 Pierre Duchartre. Lilac-pink .....	.60	5.00	45.00
8.7 President Taft. Large pink, superb ..	.60	5.00	45.00
8.6 Primevere. Large, deep sulphur-yel- low .....	1.20	10.00	90.00
6.8 Queen Victoria. A good popular white	.25	2.00	15.00
Queen Wilhelmina. Rosy pink, very large .....	.90	8.00	75.00
8.8 Richard Carvel. Best early red .....	2.00	18.00	
8.4 Rachel (Lemoine). Clear pink .....	.60	5.00	45.00
8.7 Reine Hortense (President Taft) ...	.60	5.00	45.00
7.2 Rubra Superba. Rich deep red .....	.40	3.50	30.00
9.0 Sarah Bernhardt. Mauve-rose .....	.60	5.00	45.00
9.7 Solange. Waxy white, salmon shading	1.20	11.00	100.00
8.0 Suzette. Bengal rose .....	.40	3.50	30.00
9.8 Therese. Large satiny pink .....	1.50	14.00	130.00
9.7 Tourangelle. Pearly white .....	1.50	14.00	130.00
9.3 Walter Faxon. Bright rose-pink ....	1.70	16.00	150.00

## Peonies to Color

	Each	10	100
White. Varieties mixed .....	\$0.20	\$1.70	\$14.00
Pink. Varieties mixed .....	.20	1.70	14.00
Red. Varieties mixed .....	.25	2.00	18.00

## Dutch Iris

		Price per 1000	
		Top size	First size
		7 c/m up	6-7 c/m
Anton Mauve.	Pearl-blue, large flower . . . . .	\$35.00	\$25.00
David Bless.	Very early, light blue . . . . .	50.00	35.00
Frans Hals.	Primrose-yellow, standards pale blue.	35.00	25.00
Hart Nibbrig.	Clear blue . . . . .	35.00	25.00
Huchtenberg.	Orange-yellow, standards palest blue . . . . .	35.00	25.00
Imperator.	Brilliant blue, large flower . . . . .	30.00	20.00
Rembrandt.	Dark blue . . . . .	35.00	25.00
Van Everdingen.	Pale yellow . . . . .	40.00	30.00
Wedgewood.	Earliest light blue . . . . .	120.00	90.00
Yellow Queen.	Very tall, deep yellow . . . . .	50.00	40.00

## Spanish Iris

		Price per 1000	
		Top size	First size
		5 c/m up	4-5 c/m
Alex von Humboldt.	Clear deep blue . . . . .	\$30.00	\$22.00
Belle Chinoise.	Deep yellow . . . . .	32.00	25.00
British Queen.	Large, pure white . . . . .	30.00	22.00
Cajanus.	Canary-yellow, tall stem . . . . .	32.00	25.00
Darling.	Deep purplish blue . . . . .	30.00	22.00
King of the Blues.	Very deep purplish blue. . . . .	30.00	22.00
La Reconnaissance.	Dark bronze . . . . .	30.00	22.00
Louise.	Light lavender . . . . .	30.00	22.00
Queen Wilhelmina.	White, tinted lavender . . . . .	28.00	20.00
Mixed Colors	. . . . .	25.00	18.00

## Lilium Candidum

(Madonna Lily)

	Per 100
First size . . . . .	\$15.00
Medium blooming size . . . . .	12.00
Planting stock . . . . .	8.00

## Lilium Regale

	Per 100
4-5" circumference . . . . .	\$ 6.00
5-6" circumference . . . . .	10.00
6-8" circumference . . . . .	18.00

## Miscellaneous Lilies

	Per 100
Lilium Tigrinum. First size . . . . .	\$ 8.00
“ “ Second size . . . . .	5.00
Henryi. First size . . . . .	35.00
“ Second size . . . . .	25.00
Speciosum Rubrum. First size . . . . .	20.00
“ “ Second size . . . . .	15.00
Tenuifolium. First size . . . . .	10.00
“ Second size . . . . .	7.00

## Darwin Tulips

Per 1000

Afterglow. Soft apricot-orange .....	\$30.00
Baronne de la Tonnaye. Bright rose, margined blush ....	24.00
Bartigon. Beautiful bright red .....	24.00
City of Haarlem. Large cardinal-red .....	38.00
Clara Butt. Clear salmon-pink .....	24.00
Dream. Soft lilac shade .....	26.00
Farncombe Sanders. Rose-scarlet .....	25.00
Flamingo. Shell-pink, beautiful .....	30.00
King Harold. Large dark red .....	25.00
Mrs. Potter Palmer. Purplish violet .....	28.00
Philippe de Comines. Velvety dark purple .....	24.00
President Taft. Deep blood-red .....	35.00
Pride of Haarlem. Old rose color, tall .....	24.00
Princess Elizabeth. Soft lilac-rose .....	25.00
Pygmalion. Purple .....	25.00
Rev. H. Ewbank. Heliotrope-lilac .....	25.00
Wm. Copeland. Deep lavender .....	22.00
Wm. Pitt. Bright scarlet .....	25.00
Zulu. Velvety purple-black .....	25.00
Special Mixture. Comprising many colors and varieties ..	20.00

## Breeder Tulips

Per 1000

Cardinal Manning. Mauve and rose .....	\$30.00
Dom Pedro. Coffee-brown .....	30.00
Godet Parfait. Deep purple-violet .....	30.00
Golden Bronze. Old gold and bronze .....	25.00
Louis XIV. Royal purple and gold .....	32.00
Panorama. Rich chestnut-brown .....	30.00
Prince of Orange. Terra cotta with orange edge .....	35.00
Yellow Perfection. Light bronze-yellow .....	28.00

## Cottage Tulips

Per 1000

Gesneriana Lutea. Fine deep yellow .....	\$25.00
Gesneriana Spathulata Major. Rich crimson-scarlet .....	25.00
Inglescombe Yellow. Canary-yellow .....	25.00
Moonlight. Sulphur-yellow .....	30.00
Mrs. Moon. Golden yellow .....	30.00
Walter T. Ware. Unrivalled golden yellow .....	35.00

## Narcissus

Per 1000

	Round	Double Nosed
Alba Plena Odorata .....	\$30.00	\$45.00
Barri Conspicuus .....	30.00	45.00
Barri Homespun .....	25.00	40.00
Emperor .....	50.00	75.00
King Alfred .....	75.00	110.00
Laurens Koster .....	35.00	50.00
Orange Phoenix .....	40.00	55.00
Poeticus Ornatus .....	30.00	45.00
Princeps .....	30.00	45.00
Sir Watkin .....	45.00	60.00
Victoria .....	50.00	75.00
Mixed. All kinds .....	25.00	40.00

## Grape Hyacinths

	6 c/m up	5-6 c/m	4-5 c/m
Muscari Botryoides. Light blue .....	\$12.00	\$9.00	\$6.00
Muscari Botryoides, Heavenly Blue.			
Sky blue .....	15.00	12.00	9.00
Muscari Conicum. Dark blue .....	12.00	9.00	6.00

# Gladiolus

Price per 1000

	No. 1 1½" up	No. 2 1¼" 1½"	No. 3 1" 1¼"	No. 4 ¾" 1"	No. 5 ½" ¾"	No. 6 ⅜" ½"
A. B. Kunderd ..	\$30.00	\$24.00	\$19.00	\$15.00	\$11.00	\$8.00
Alice Tiplady ...	15.00	12.00	10.00	7.00	5.00	3.00
America .....	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	5.00	3.00
Anna Eberius ...	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Annie Laurie ....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Baron J. Hulot ..	35.00	28.00	22.00	17.00	12.00	8.00
Byron L. Smith ..	35.00	28.00	22.00	17.00	12.00	8.00
Captain Boynton .	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	6.00
Carmen Sylva ...	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Catherina .....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Chicago White ..	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.50	4.00
Crimson Glow ...	20.00	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	5.00
Dr. F. E. Bennett.	40.00	32.00	26.00	20.00	14.00	10.00
Early Sunrise ...	35.00	28.00	22.00	17.00	12.00	9.00
E. J. Shaylor ...	20.00	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	5.00
Elizabeth Tabor ..	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Evelyn Kirtland .	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Fay Lanphier ...	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Flaming Sword ..	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Giant Nymph ...	30.00	24.00	18.00	13.00	9.00	6.00
Golden Dream ..	50.00	40.00	32.00	25.00	18.00	12.00
Golden Measure .	35.00	28.00	22.00	16.00	12.00	8.00
Halley .....	18.00	14.00	11.00	9.00	6.00	4.00
Herada .....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.00
Hollyhock .....	80.00	65.00	50.00	40.00	32.00	22.00
Jenny Lind .....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Joe Coleman ....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
Le Marechal Foch.	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
L'Immaculee ....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Lily White .....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.00
Los Angeles ....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Louise .....	25.00	20.00	16.00	13.00	9.00	6.00
Maidens Blush ..	18.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Marie Kunderd ..	35.00	28.00	22.00	15.00	11.00	8.00
Mary Pickford ..	22.00	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00
Minuet .....	100.00	80.00	60.00	45.00	30.00	20.00
Mr. Mark .....	35.00	28.00	22.00	17.00	13.00	10.00
Mr. W. H. Phipps	50.00	40.00	32.00	25.00	18.00	13.00
Mrs. Dr. Norton .	25.00	20.00	15.00	11.00	7.00	4.00
Mrs. Francis King	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Mrs. F. Pendleton	20.00	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	5.00
Mrs. F. C. Horn- berger .....	50.00	40.00	32.00	25.00	20.00	15.00
Mrs. F. C. Peters.	30.00	24.00	19.00	15.00	11.00	7.00
Mrs. H. E. Bothin	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
Mrs. Leon Douglas	30.00	24.00	19.00	15.00	11.00	7.00
Muriel .....	35.00	28.00	22.00	16.00	12.00	8.00
Nancy Hanks ...	30.00	24.00	19.00	15.00	12.00	9.00
Nimrod (Dutch variety) .....	30.00	24.00	19.00	15.00	11.00	7.00
Odin .....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
Orange Queen ..	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Panama .....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.50	4.00
Peace .....	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	6.00	4.00
Persia .....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00

## GLADIOLUS—Continued

	Price per 1000					
	No. 1 1½" up	No. 2 1¼" 1½"	No. 3 1" 1¼"	No. 4 ¾" 1"	No. 5 ½" ¾"	No. 6 ⅜" ½"
Pfizer's Triumph	\$150.00	\$120.00	\$100.00	\$80.00	\$65.00	\$50.00
Pink Perfection .	40.00	32.00	26.00	20.00	15.00	10.00
Pink Wonder ...	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
Prince of Wales..	20.00	16.00	12.00	10.00	7.00	5.00
Purple Glory ...	45.00	36.00	28.00	22.00	16.00	10.00
Red Canna .....	20.00	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.50	5.00
Richard Diener .	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
1910 Rose .....	20.00	14.00	11.00	9.00	6.50	4.00
Rose Ash .....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
Ruth Huntington.	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Salmon Beauty ..	22.00	17.00	14.00	10.00	7.00	5.00
Schwaben .....	22.00	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00
Souvenir .....	22.00	17.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	4.00
Sovereign .....	40.00	32.00	26.00	20.00	15.00	10.00
Taro .....	30.00	24.00	19.00	15.00	10.00	7.00
The Orchid ....	40.00	32.00	26.00	20.00	15.00	10.00
Tycko Zang ....	25.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00	4.00
Venus .....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Virginia .....	22.00	17.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00
War .....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
W. E. Fryer ....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Wilbrinck .....	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Exhibition Mixed.	15.00	12.00	9.00	7.00	5.00	3.00
Popular Mixed ..	12.00	9.00	7.00	5.00	3.00	2.00

## Gladiolus Novelties of Decided Merit

	Price per 100					
	No. 1 1½" up	No. 2 1¼" 1½"	No. 3 1" 1¼"	No. 4 ¾" 1"	No. 5 ½" ¾"	No. 6 ⅜" ½"
Apricot Glow. Tall, clear apricot ..	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$6.00	\$4.50	\$3.00	\$2.00
Berty Snow. Lavender .....	30.00	24.00	19.00	15.00	12.00	8.00
Betty Nuthall. Coral-pink ....	40.00	32.00	26.00	20.00	16.00	12.00
Canberra. Clear yellow .....	75.00	60.00	48.00	36.00	30.00	24.00
Catherine Coleman. Salmon-pink ..	8.00	6.00	4.50	3.50	2.75	2.00
Dr. Moody. Light lavender .....	15.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	5.50
King George. Glow- ing scarlet ....	40.00	30.00	22.00	17.00	14.00	10.00
La Paloma. New orange .....	75.00	60.00	48.00	36.00	30.00	24.00
Lavender Bride. Deep lavender- rose .....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	7.00
Mammoth White. Largest white ..	75.00	65.00	50.00	40.00	30.00	20.00
Marmora. Laven- der-gray .....	16.00	13.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.50
Mrs. P. W. Sisson. Light pink ...	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.40	1.80
Paul Pfizer. Vel- vety purple ..	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	3.00
Royal Lavender. Deep lavender- pink .....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.50	4.50
Veilchenblau. Blue- violet .....	15.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.00



## Montbretias

	Per 100	Per 1000
<b>Aurora.</b> Pure orange-yellow, tall .....	\$25.00	
<b>Crocsmiaeflora.</b> Pure yellow, large flowers ...	3.50	25.00
<b>Etoile de Feu.</b> Soft red, with orange throat ....	3.50	25.00
<b>Fire King.</b> Bright scarlet; very showy .....	3.50	25.00
<b>George Davison.</b> Chrome-yellow .....	4.50	40.00
<b>Germaine.</b> Rich, glowing orange-scarlet.....	6.00	50.00
<b>Golden West.</b> Beautiful pure golden yellow ...	5.00	40.00
<b>Hereward.</b> Pale orange-yellow .....	5.00	40.00
<b>King Edmund.</b> Rich yellow, center blotched carmine .....	4.50	35.00
<b>Lady Hamilton.</b> Apricot-yellow; very distinct ..	6.00	50.00
<b>Lord Nelson.</b> Rich deep crimson-scarlet .....	6.00	50.00
<b>Pottsi.</b> Inside golden, outside red .....	3.00	25.00
<b>Prometheus.</b> Deep orange; crimson ring around eye .....	30.00	
<b>Mixed Colors</b> .....	3.00	25.00

## Other Bulbs and Plants

	Per 100	Per 1000
<b>Hyacinthus Candicans.</b> First size .....	\$5.00	\$45.00
<b>Hyacinthus Candicans.</b> Second size .....	4.00	35.00
<b>Oxalis.</b> Pink .....	1.50	10.00
<b>Bleeding Heart.</b> Large clumps .....	25.00	
<b>Colchicum Autumnale Major</b> .....	15.00	
<b>Crocus Zonatus</b> .....	3.50	

# Wholesale Price List

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Wholesale Grower of

BULBS and PLANTS

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